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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that the following references, which are also listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, be made of record in the above-identified case.


1. Japanese Laid-Open Patent Application Publication No. 2001-256772, dated September 21, 2001, together with English-language Abstract; and

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2. Laid-Open Japanese Patent Application Publication No. 10-293635, dated November 4, 1998, together with English-language Abstract.

Applicant is submitting copies of the above-cited references. The relevance of the above-identified references has been described in the specification.

Inasmuch as this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted in accordance with the schedule set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b), no statement or fee is required.

Respectfully submitted,



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